

## FACTS & FICTION

The great problem for the suppression of cruelty to animals may be solved if we turn more from the corrective to the preventive stage. That trite saying aptly fits, "You can't teach an old dog new tricks." There is little hope of permanent reformation among men and women steeped in the habit of cruelty.

We turn with hope, however to the youth and children of our day for the application of preventive methods. The spirit that animates a child to take pleasure in giving pain to a dumb creature, more helpless than itself, is the same that prompts acts of cruelty in an adult to a child.

Some boys can find no better pastime on summer evenings than chasing poor cats from place to place; and this unfeeling play is often carried to the extreme of killing.

A stray dog runs along, a boy picks up a stone and hurls it at him; a yelp of pain tells us the aim was too true. Dare we look with indifference at this spirit of cruelty, which these apparently small acts, are generating in the children? Will the peace and welfare of our country be safe in the hands of these, who are to become our nation's protectors, the parents of our next generation? We can well trust our country's honor to the soldier, who on his march, picked up a little bird, buttoned it snugly in his coat and when camp was reached, fed and tenderly cared for it. Why not publish names of offenders against humane laws? A number of interesting stories of kindness to dumb creatures, collected in book form, introduced into our schools and public libraries may serve to create in the hearts of the young a love for all helpless creatures, and put to shame the spirit of cruelty which is so dominant. Clubs may also be formed among children as supporters of the noble work the Humane Societies of the United States and the world are undertaking.

Here is the way a country editor gets his subscribers: "Darling delinquents! Do you think we have sold out and gone west with the grasshoppers? No, no, little sugar lump, we could not get away if we wanted to. We are still at the old stand, dishing out the paper on sweet promises and bright expectations. Thus make an excellent diet, darling, with a little wind pudding, flavored with a word of encouragement to serve as a desert.

"We are waiting and watching for thee, turtle dove. We long to hear the sound of thy gentle footsteps and hear the silvery ring of thy happy voice within our lonely sanctum.

"Dear one, we are unusually sad and lonely tonight without you. We sigh for one glance of your eye and even half you owe us. Don't see how you can do without us. Don't see how we can possibly live without you dear. Now, pie-crust, will you answer, in a voice sweet and beguiling, I'm coming, for it is only the wailing winds that 'round our sanctum roam?"

With a rolled-brim Panama, rolled-up trousers and rolled-up sleeves, the modern man looks like a high roller, surely.

## EARLINGTON TO HAVE A \$10,000 SCHOOL BUILDING.

Three Stories and a Basement With All Modern Conveniences.—Steam Heating and the Latest in Ventilation.

TO BE BUILT OF BRICK AND STONE.

Ground was broken today for Earlington's new school house, which will be built of brick and stone and will be one of the best school buildings in Hopkins county. All modern improvements in the way of heating and ventilation will be used. The building will be erected on the site where the old school stood that was burned last year. This building will add greatly to the town and will be a benefit to all.

## HAPPENINGS IN KENTUCKY.

Hon. John B. Chenault has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for State Auditor.

Marion C. Wilhoit, a former newspaper man of Lexington, has been promoted to First Lieutenant in the regular army.

A rich vein of zinc has been found recently near Salem, Livingston county, and steps will be taken at once to develop it.

John Pierpont Morgan has offered Turkey's sultan \$220,000,000 for sole privilege of building railroads, gas plants, electric works, etc.

Petitions have been filed for a vote in Fulton, at a special election, of the wet or dry question and the vote will be submitted on the 27th of September.

Mrs. Frank Wolfe, of Hardin, and Miss Eunice Starks, of Olive, were adjudged insane a few days ago, and were ordered to the Hopkinsville asylum.

A Mexican woman in El Paso, Texas, has given birth to two healthy children, the second one born six weeks after the first. The case has caused considerable comment among Physicians.

A committee of Danville business men, by invitation of Mr. H. B. Spencer, of the Southern railroad, will go to St. Louis for a conference in regard to the extension of the Southern from Harrodsburg to Danville.

Horace Lane the largest boy of his age in Kentucky, if not in the United States, died at his home in Ballard county. He was 15 years old, weighed 350 pounds and was six feet high. No coffin could be found large enough and a carpenter had to make one.

The Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Company filled a suit at Hartford today against the Rough River Telephone company, seeking to enjoin that company from stringing its wires in certain places, charging that its own service is thereby interfered with and the lives of its employees imperiled.

The Henderson Board of Education has elected Prof. Hays, who is out on bond, after being arrested for attempted arson, to be principal of the High School for the coming year. The board declares a card, in which it declares that it has suspended judgement in the case of Prof. Hays until he is proven guilty, and asks the people to do the same thing.

## Rev. McAfee Recovers.

Rev. Richard McAfee, who held a meeting at this place sometime since and closed it on account of sickness, writes to a friend that he was very sick after reaching Cadiz and also that he had been expected to live for several days. They are both well now, however.

## DOWN IN THE MINES.

For over a year past it has been evident to the close observer, and in fact the colored miner who cast in his lot with the U. M. W. has been warned, that he was being used simply as a tool to get, if possible, the chestnuts out of the fire, that the love organization, as composed here, have for him extended only so far as the colored brother could serve their evil purposes, and the revelations made during the past year or two will fully corroborate this statement. Who was employed to take the lead in the attack on the non-union miners when enroute last year to Providence to work in mines there? Who were the principal men who led the attack on the Providence mine about the same time. Evidence is not lacking to show that in both cases the colored man was compelled to bear the brunt of the battle, placed, it is stated, by the white agitators, who always took care to keep a safe distance from the firing line. Then, again, who of the whole number guilty of unlawful acts now languishes in the state prison? The colored U. M. W., and his conviction was not due to the injustice of the court, but rather to the carrying out, evidently, of carefully prearranged plans of the chief agitators, whereby the colored agitator should alone be the sufferer when caught in deeds of violence or lawlessness of any kind. Of course, the colored U. M. W., when he allows himself to be made a principal in crime, deserves no sympathy or protection from the hands of courts, and we only cite these facts to show how they have been duped. Even Agitation Chappell, who justly languishes in the Webster county jail, can see the deep laid conspiracy to make the race of people of whom he is a representative the scapegoat, and if we are correctly informed the same rule has been applied in the distribution of the necessities of life, the best always going to the star chamber members. Even last week, we are told, when a so-called picnic was being held at a point near Madisonville, the colored brother was invited to take a back seat, and out of a total number of probably 100 who attended the affair, not one colored U. M. W. could be seen on the grounds, so our informant states. He was even refused permission; to partake in the feast of cheese and crackers, which we understand composed the dinner on this occasion, and such being the case, are the colored members of the U. M. W. not fully justified in complaining long and loud, which we understand from reports they are now doing, and the old saying may in this case prove true that "when rogues fall out and fight honest people may get their just dues."

It is not a pleasant thing to call attention to, neither do we do so in an exultant manner, yet it is nevertheless the fact that once happy and contented miners before they joined the U. M. W. could be seen wending their way in company with wife and children with well filled baskets to attend a picnic. Now they are seen wandering along the highway by themselves, with the basket missing, while enroute to the earline and cheese eating contest.

Foreman Thomas Longstaff, with a crew of men, is now busily engaged sinking a test hole on what is thought to be coal lands in Webster county. Tom thinks the signs are good and prospects of striking coal bright and confident that he is in the midst of a fine coal field and the St. Bernard Mining Co., for whom he works, places great confidence in Mr. Longstaff's judgment.

Business of vast importance to the St. Bernard Mining Company, of whom he is a valuable and trusted representative, called Mr. James R. Rash to Providence and vicinity the past week. Negotiations are pending, we understand, in connection with the purchase of the mineral rights of a large body of land in Webster county, and Mr. Rash is the purchasing agent of said company.

The force of coal loaders at the Victoria mine made a good record one day last week, loading a 60,000 capacity car in 19 minutes. This speed, if kept up during the day, would mean about 32 cars, or nearly two full trains.

Manager Gordon, in company with Foreman Toombs, both of the St. Bernard Mining Company, one day recently, accepted an invitation to visit the Reinecke mine. Secretary Bailly was with them and took great pleasure in showing them through his finely equipped building, of which he justly feels proud.

Scarcity of cars caused the Saturday mine to lay idle last. Victoria and also the Reinecke Assistant Mine Engineer Frank Rash has been busily engaged in some survey work down in Webster county, and we give what the Providence department of the Seabee paper says about him:

"Frank Rash, of Earlington, mining engineer for the St. Bernard Coal Company, is here this week on professional business."

The Shamrock Coal Co., near Providence have struck a vein of what is known as number 12 coal, which measures about six feet thick. It is of poor quality and is not considered marketable. About six feet under this is supposed to be number 11 vein of an excellent quality but hardly as thick a vein. This company will probably be ready to produce coal next week on a small scale. The ties for the new coal siding of this mine is on the ground and track will soon be laid.

Rumors, whether well founded or not, are in circulation that the organization, known as the U. M. W. are in such destitute conditions that a call for county aid may be soon expected. Of course as there are no provisions made by law applicable to such cases, the probability is that a lot of idle men will have to work for a living or see their families suffer.

During all the mining trouble existing here and in Webster county for the past year or more, not a single case can be cited, wherein the operators or the guards employed by them can be justly be accused of attempted assassination of a single member of the U. M. W. No matter how great the provocation may have been at times. But what a contrast to this has been the action of the Mine Workers, whom evidence circumstantial and positive has closely connected with many such cases of crime. The latest being the attempted

assassination of a non union miner at St. Charles, who was molesting no one at the time.

Chief book keeper, of the Crabtree mine, W. G. Wright, was disabled a portion of last week, by a rising on one of his hands, which called for a surgical operation. He is now better and able for duty.

Another new mining machine will soon be put in the Hecla mine. Making four in all at work there, which in addition to the mines, makes that mine well equipped for a large production of coal.

## A Newspaper Hoodoo.

There is a hoodoo in every newspaper office. It hides behind the colubines and comes out at critical times and gets in its dastardly work. The story of how the newspaper hoodoo was born is told with hushed breath in every newspaper office. Those who say that when Herr Guttenberg started the first newspaper in Germany a maiden lady of advanced years persuaded some irresponsible youth to marry her. She left word at the newspaper office that the thing be properly written up. The paper told the facts, including a statement about the bride's age, looks and disposition, and she being mad with rage, sold herself to the devil and was transformed into an evil spirit. To this day this spirit prowls around newspaper offices. Don't laugh when you see ludicrous things in the paper; they are the devil's work. Cross yourself.

## A Dangerous Rooster.

While a sixteen-months-old child of a tenant living on the farm of St. Robert, near Farnesville, was playing in the yard the other day it was attacked by a large Plymouth Rock rooster. The rooster made terrible use of his spurs in the little tot's face, cutting a gash in each ear, above the left eye, and finally broke the point of one spur off in the child's forehead at the edge of its hair. The child's screams attracted the mother, who hastened to its rescue and drove the infuriated chicken away. In a few more minutes the rooster would probably have killed the child.—Dover News.

## Hopkins County Fair.

Only a short time until the great Hopkins county fair will begin. There will be more attractions this year than ever. Ice water in abundance and absolutely free to all. Don't fail to attend this year. If you have never been before or never expect to go again. This is to be the cracker-jack fair and carnival of the season and you can't afford to miss it.

## New Boat on the Lake.

E. M. Orr and W. C. Edmondson have purchased a boat from some party in Henderson and it is now floating proudly on the waters of Loch Mary. We are extremely glad of this purchase, as we frequently have cause to borrow a boat and do not like to ask the same man each time.

## Chased a Wheat Thresher.

Some of the boys are telling one on Mr. Fegan, the genial and jovial check weighman on No. 9 tip. It is said he is so intent on securing his proportion of gondolas that he chased a thresher engine half way to Harrodsburg to ask them if they had any more.

## Bold Fellow.

"Yes, mother," said the Boston girl, "I have broken my engagement with Eustace. I discovered that he was lacking in modesty."

"The idea? How?"

"He was going to present me with a pair of skates, and heer-actually asked me what size—oh, it was so shocking—that size shoe I wear!" Kansas City Journal.

Heavy rainfall has caused floods in New York State.

Victor Bonillot, a Philadelphia broker recently disgraced, committed suicide.

## LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS

W. S. Martin, formerly superintendent of the Henderson division, has been made superintendent of the Southern lines between St. Louis and Louisville.

Operator Larkin, who has been working days at this place, has been transferred to Nortonville.

Operator Brooks, who formerly worked here, is now working at Guthrie nights.

We understand Charles Dauels, who worked here a short while, has been appointed agent at Hopkinsville. Here's to you, Charlie.

There are several changes on this division in contemplation that we cannot speak of just at present.

Chief Dispatcher E. L. Wise was in Louisville a few days this week on business.

Dispatcher Willie K. Griffin says "if he don't get to make that visit to his Ohio home soon, there will be trouble in the camp and someone is going to get hurt."

The boys say that C. J. M. is kept quite busy answering letters to the young ladies who have written to him from all over the country.

Conductor Joe Robertson says Sam Branch, better known as "Pizen Oak Sam," is a regular Jonah to him, as he can never go in on time when Sam is pulling him.

Don't be uneasy, E.—. We are on to that little trouble that occurred the other night, but we will not say a word about it.

W. J. Palmer, through freight conductor, subscribed to the Bee last week. There is another man that knows a good thing when he sees it.

Will someone please rise and explain why Ed Beal travels the road leading to the lake so much?

Dispatcher Ed Brownlee was here this week moving his family to Birmingham, where he last work in the dispatcher's office.

Mr. M. T. Morgan, general superintendent of the Gulf & Ship Island Railroad and an old Earlington boy, sends the publisher of The Bee a copy of the Mississippi Journal, published at Gulfport, Miss., and adds an invitation to "stop off and remain awhile" when we go that way. In the department headed "Industrial" The Journal has this to say of Mr. Morgan's road:

"The Gulf & Ship Island Railroad, in the 11 months ended May 31, 1902, delivered to its connections 28,481 loaded cars, as compared with 18,322 loaded cars in the corresponding period of the preceding year. The increase being 55 per cent. In the same 11 months the company received 13,391 loaded cars, as against 10,622 cars the year before, the increase being 26 per cent."

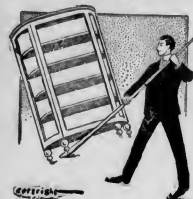
Mr. Sanders, of Guthrie, is day operator here now.

## Rum Shops Forced to Close.

Within the last few weeks 25 rum shops have gone out of business in Cheyenne, Wyo., because of an order issued by the Union Pacific railroad forbidding employees to frequent business places when they are off duty. The order is being rigidly enforced and railroad men will now have a chance to pay grocery bills, buy new dresses for their wives and to invest their surplus earnings in real estate.

In Breckinridge county John Oaks mortally wounded Benton Blanton, and killed Joseph Coldiron, an innocent bystander.

## Morton &amp; Hall,



## Prying

around amongst our stock will pay you. Spend a hour or two among the handsome pieces of

## FURNITURE

here. It won't take long for you to "fall in love" with some particular article. The chances are that you'll like two or three pieces so well that it will be hard to decide upon either.

All are handsome, all good. Not much chance of making a mistake when you buy of

**MORTON & HALL**

Madisonville, Ky.

## SHORT LOCALS.

Wanted—Three good carpenters at once, apply to M. McCord.

Jno. X. Taylor has been appointed guardian of W. G. Harter during the absence of the formers wife. The question naturally arises, who will watch John X.

A nice line of suspenders and belts at W. C. McLeod's.

Have your fur painted by Coenen Bros. Tel. 20-8.

The little child of Frank Arnold was accidentally thrown from the buggy Monday by his brother and badly hurt. Dr. Sisk attended and reports the little one doing well.

This is the best season for painting. Let us make an estimate on your house. Coenen Bros. Tel. 20-8.

Continental oil sardines 5 cents at Walden and Eades' grocery.

If you are looking for Hats and Salloos or Silppers, don't miss G. T. McEwen, as you can get them at and near cost.

The whole Fawcett family have been, sick with malarial fever, supposed to have been caused from eating old state vegetables and indigestible cucumbers.

Eternal advertising is the price of success. The more a merchant advertises the more he is kept before the public and the more goods he sells.

Pavement killing red kills vegetation and beautifies your walk. For sale by Coenen Bros. Tel. 20-8.

Give G. T. McEwen your trade. He will give you honest weight and good goods, and treat you right.

Wanted—Housekeepers to know that newspapers are the very thing to put in the safe and on the pantry shelves. We have a large supply to sell at this office to sell and will sell them cheap.

Bull head oysters full weight at Walden & Eades' grocery.

See The Bee's offer on this page of the paper, for the one getting the largest number of new subscribers.

Cecil Webb, alias young Pop is a cyclist from way back. He and young Gentry were sprinting Sunday with their hands off the handle bars, when with out previous warning Cecil took a header over his wheel and Gentry who was a close second landed on top. No bones or wheels were broken.

Good package soda 5 cents full pound at Walden & Eades' grocery.

The two popular ladies in the employment of Uncle Sam were accidentally locked in the Post Office Monday and escaped only after having the lock removed from the door. Some people are so careless.

Don't fail to see the nice queensware that is given to customers at Walden & Eades' grocery.

Sick benefits paid in Earlington this week by the National Sick and Accident Association: Mary Bellafant, \$2.50; Sime Gill, \$5; Mildred Gibson, \$1.50; Mary Grover, \$1.

J. T. COENEK, Agent.

Every article consumed to be just as represented at Walden & Eades' grocery.

**PISO'S CURE FOR**  
Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Eczema, Scabies, Itch, and all skin diseases.

"IMPOSSIBLE" for you to enjoy motherhood," says the doctor. Sometimes he qualifies the statement, and says, "Impossible without an operation." Yet both these "impossibilities" have been made possible by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Many times the hindrance to motherhood are to be found in womanly diseases or weaknesses, which are perfectly and permanently cured by the Favorite Prescription.

It is a great medicine for women, which cures irregularity and dries up the system, and cures female weakness. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

"I wish to add my testimony to hundreds of others to the value of Dr. Pierce's medicine," writes Mrs. Ida De Ford, of Linton, N. C.

"I have been treated with a great many medicine specialists, and have been in hospital for treatment. My case has been regarded as a hopeless one, and they have said that the trouble was heart was bad, stomach all out of order, liver, severe pain in all parts of the body, sinking spells, and nearly every ailment a woman could have. I took a bottle of your medicine without effect. I began taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and after taking three bottles I am a new woman. All my ailments have been cured. Both the baby and myself were strong, and I am now able to do all my household work."

The Common Sense Medical Adviser, 1000 large pages, in paper cover, is sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

The wife of dispatcher Scott which had fallen down last Sunday fell from the chair and slightly injured herself.

Braun, chops and new hay cheap at Walden & Eades' grocery.

McLeod's prices are right. That's what he'll sell you a lot of stuff.

LOST—strayed or stolen—Thos. Traben a fine young man of college age, pharmacist of great skill left here last Monday morning to be gone a few days, has not since been heard from. Any information as to his whereabouts will be gratefully received. THE GIRLS.

W. C. McLeod's market garden is a cracker jack for fresh vegetables.

Loose dry roast coffee 12 1/2 cents at Walden & Eades' grocery.

Edward Thompson, the undertaker of Madisonville, will do you a good job.

Geo. Toy has had his Tonsorial parlor re-papered in the colors of the rainbow. George has new wading new bath tubs, new furniture and other things from time to time until he has made a first class shop out of the old joint.

Perfection and Wide Swan flour in sack and wood always fresh and cheap at Walden & Eades' grocery.

McLeod's store is a old reliable place to purchase flour and feed.

The ground for the new school house has been broken, and work on it will be commenced at once. It will be completed and ready for occupation by Christmas.

There is more Catholicism in this section of the country than in all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a score of many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Address, F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

New and complete line of delicacies at Walden & Eades' grocery.

There are some pretty patterns in glass and queensware at W. C. McLeod's.

William Smith is acting as city marshal during the absence of Marshall Lindie and is making a good man for the place.

If you want the best furniture for the least money, call on Edward Thompson, the furniture man, Madisonville.

WANTED—Young men to travel. Will furnish outfit and advance expenses. Call forenoon at Victory Sisters' hotel. FITZER.

The newest things in shirts, collars and ties at W. C. McLeod's.

Jesse Phillips has returned from his visit across the big pond and looks as well as ever. We have not been able to interview Jesse yet as to what he saw and did while away, but will endeavor to do so later on.

It Baffles the World. No Discovery in medicine has ever created one quarter of the excitement that has been caused by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Its severest tests have been on hopeless victims of Consumption, Pneumonia, Hemorrhage, Pleurisy, Brouittie, thousands of whom it has restored to perfect health. For Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Croup, Hay Fever, Hoarseness, Whooping Cough it is the quickest, surest cure in the world. It is sold by St. Bernard Drug Co., who guarantees satisfaction or refund money. Large bottles 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

W. C. McLeod has a line of groceries that are fresh and up-to-date.

WANTED—50 customers to call at the store of Edward Thompson and look over his line of furniture.

H. S. Corey has some of the finest Irish potatoes we have seen this year. They were grown on the St. Bernard gardens and are of an unusually large size. Tomatoes from these gardens are now ripe and they have a large quantity of them for sale. Any one needing anything in the vegetable line can supply themselves from the market wagon of Wm. Coughler.

Some nice iron bedssteads cheap for cash. Call on Thompson at the county seat.

The genial Superintendent of the L. & N. Mr. Jno. W. Logsdon, was in the city Tuesday mixing with his many friends. He is in perfect health and looking better than ever.

When Other Medicines Have Failed Take Foley's Kidney Cure. It has cured when everything else has disappointed. Sold by John X. Taylor.

The Sunday edition of the Louisville Times was a hummer. People in this part of the State are beginning to realize the value of the Times as a newspaper and consequently the circulation of that paper is constantly increasing.

A Poor Millionaire. Lately starved in London because he could not digest his food. Early use of Dr. King's New Life Pills would have saved him. They strengthen the stomach, aid digestion, promote assimilation, improve. Price 25c. Money back if not satisfied. Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store.

It is reported a white and colored boy broke into the house of a colored woman last Friday and stole \$10 in money and a silk skirt. They probably lifted the skirt to wrap the money in.

Folding beds cheap at Edward Thompson's, the Madisonville furniture dealer.

She Didn't Wear A Mask. But her beauty was completely hidden by sores, blotches and pimples till she used Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Then they vanished as with all eruptions, Fever Sores, Boils, Ulcers, Carbuncles and Felons from their use. Infallible for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Scalds and Piles. Cure guaranteed. 25c at St. Bernard Drug Store.

Dear Delinquent Subscriber:—If the Bee had only one half of what is due us, we could print the next issue on Bank paper. We need silver type and Johnson's best printers ink. Think of this statement and then feel in your pocket and see if you can't find a dollar that belongs to the Bee.

That was a nice bedroom suit Edward Thompson sold Monday and the price was moderate.

Neither Always Keeps It Handy. "My mother suffered a long time from distressing pains and general ill health due primarily to indigestion," says L. W. Spalding, Verona, Mo. "Two years ago I got her to try Kodol. She grew better at once and now, at the age of 75, eats anything she wants, remarking that she fears no bad effects, as she has her bottle of Kodol handy." Don't waste time doctoring symptoms. Go after the cause. If your stomach is sound your health will be good. Kodol rests the stomach and strengthens the body by digesting your food. It is nature's own tonic. John X. Taylor.

WANTED—Every one who is a friend to the Bee to send in one new subscriber and one dollar for a year's subscription. Every man in Hopkins county should subscribe for all the papers published in the county. The cost is a mere trifle and it is as much your duty to support your county papers as it is to support your preacher and your schools.

Newspapers are public benefactors and the public should lend their aid and support by subscribing for and paying for them.

Frank W. Doyle. The above signature is on the wrapper of every bottle of the genuine OWEN'S MIXTURE—the baby's friend from birth until he has his teeth. All druggists.



And Sweet are the Skin, Scalp, and Hair of Infants Purified and Beautified by

**Cuticura SOAP**

MILLIONS use CUTICURA SOAP, as it cleanses the skin, keeps it moist, preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, for cleansing the scalp, and the stopping of falling hair, for softening, whitening, and soothing red, rough, and sore hands, for baby rashes, itching, and chafings, and for all purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery. Millions of Women use CUTICURA SOAP in baths for annoying irritations and inflammations, for too free or offensive perspiration, in washes for chancres, weak spots, and for many curative, antiseptic purposes which readily suggest themselves to women.

Complete Treatment. 81. CUTICURA SOAP is the best for the treatment of all skin diseases, such as eczema, psoriasis, and all other eruptions, itching, and inflammation, and for the treatment of all skin diseases, such as eczema, psoriasis, and all other eruptions, itching, and inflammation, and for the treatment of all skin diseases, such as eczema, psoriasis, and all other eruptions, itching, and inflammation.

The L. & N. railroad is in better shape today and has more track, more and better equipment, pays a larger dividend and has more money than ever before in the history of the incorporation, and she owes it all to the far-seeing management of one man—Milton H. Smith, President.

Sound kidneys are safeguards of life. Make the kidneys healthy with Foley's Kidney cure. For sale by John X. Taylor.

Wonders will never cease. One of Earlington's prominent merchants made the statement last week that his business had increased over the year. He has been advertising in The Bee three months ago, and also added he expected to keep it up.

## STATE ENCAMPMENT

MAMMOTH CAVE, KY.  
July 20 to August 30.

Dear Sir:

We are going to give very low rate excursions on regular trains to this famous world wonder. The rates will be lower than they have ever been, and from each company's section of the state we are going to put in these inducements, that all those desiring may visit the cave and be with the "boys" while they are in camp. Extensive entertainments will be given during the stay of the militia at the cave, a grand ball being given each night during the week days that they are there. Dates of the event, etc., will be advertised later.

E. M. ORR, T. A. L. & N.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE

Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Co.'s

Local and Long Distance Service.

Residence Telephones as low as \$1.40 per month.

Business Telephones as low as \$2.00 per month.

We place you in communication with 2,000,000 people.

Who transact an enormous daily business BY TELEPHONE.

Which could not otherwise be done. Call Central for information. No Contracts Are Required.

Getting Sensational in Paris, Ky. Paris is getting to be a sensational town. Within the last few weeks there have been murders, suicides, railroad accidents, and this week two of its citizens have been charged with violent abuse of their wives and one of the latter is a minister of the gospel.

500  
SUBSCRIBERS - WANTED  
— BY —  
OCTOBER, 31st, 1902.

THE BEE Wants 500 New Subscribers By October 31st, and Offers the Following Premiums:

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## NEBO ITEMS.

Dry weather still continues, and unless we have rain soon corn and tobacco will be badly damaged.

The tobacco men are busy shipping tobacco. There will be over a thousand headstems shipped from this point during the present season. Another factory is needed badly as there is not room enough here to handle the crops produced in this vicinity.

A crew of men have been making headquarters in Nebo for the past ten days at work on the Cumberland Telephone line. They are peaceful, sober gentlemen and by their quiet gentlemanly ways have won the respect of the people.

The finishing touches have been given to the new bank building and it is now ready to receive its furniture and go to work.

We had a light shower of rain Saturday night.

There was no preaching in Nebo Sunday. It was the regular day for the C. F. Church, but the pastor Rev. B. P. McMillan has resigned.

Quite a number of young people went from here to attend preaching at Rose Creek Sunday.

Rev. H. C. Ford, who has been absent for over a week returned home Monday.

C. S. Royter has been on the back ground for several days.

Mac Hoffman made a flying trip to Madisonville Monday.

We desire to thank our young friend, Karl Ferguson, for appreciated favors.

D. C. Morrow left for Lebanon, Tenn., Monday to be present at the reunion of the Rose Creek country and to accompany his wife home.

Millard Sellers and family, of Outen, stopped over Monday night on their way home from Crittenden Springs.

Jos. B. Lauden and son Jno. D. of the Rose Creek country, left Tuesday morning to visit friends and relatives in Union county.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamby, of Emplire, who have been visiting Mrs. Hamby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Campbell, for several days returned home Monday.

Mrs. McCormick and family paid a visit to relatives in Crittenden county Friday and returned home Monday.

Mrs. Campbell who has been sick for several days is recovering.

J. T. Roberts, was glad to see at his post, after being indisposed for several days.

Mrs. M. A. Mitchell of the Rose Creek country is quite sick and we do not learn the nature of her illness.

Ed Barnett a grocery drummer was here Monday. He left for Sunnyside on Friday.

Our Police Judge says that he intends to rigidly enforce the law in regard to keeping business houses open on Sunday. A great deal of complaint having been made in regard to it and he says that he intends to enforce the law without favor or affection, and what Uncle Dick says that is what he means.

But what about running horses through the streets? Could not that be broken up?

BIO INDIAN.

## Advertised Letters.

Earlington, Ky., July 24, 1902.  
Brown, Willie Brown, Charlie Haas, Clarence P. Cheatham, Shelby Davis, Mrs. Irene Dickson, John Fowler, Oscar Garner, Thos. Jones, Willie Kirkpatrick, John Kelley, Walter W. Herigan, Melford Harrison, Lucy Tupper, George Tucker, E. T. Todd, Will Winn, Joe Wyatt, Celia Winn, Stella.

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# OUR GREAT WHEAT CROP

How the Golden Grain Is Garnered From the Fields

**A** MONSTROUS harvest of wheat, a harvest so big that the people of the wheat belt wonder how it is all going to be gathered and handled, is now being garnered in Uncle Sam's big wheat growing districts.

These July days, then, are busy ones for the wheat farmer. From early morning till night and often all night long when the moon is shining the clack and whirr of the header, binder and thrasher are heard in the fields. Busy men and teams are laboring and sweat under the burning July sun while the fruits of nature's handiwork are being gathered.

The harvesting of wheat begins first, of course, in the southern portion of the country. For instance, the binders begin hammering in the fields of southern Missouri as early as the 10th of June and will be heard far into August in the Dakotas and British America.

Of late years the labor problem has been a vexing one with the big grain growers. Even with the great help afforded by harvesting machinery it is difficult to get men and horses to save the crops.

Less than a score of years ago few farmers would think of sowing more wheat or corn than their own regular help could gather at harvest time. The sowing of a farmer in any community would be to sow to a few of the neighbors to assist in the grain threatened to ripen, too fast while it was being cut. The harvesting of labor was unthought of.

But today the wheat belts of the northwest and the southeast afford a striking contrast to the relatively small industry of those days. Hundreds of acres in one field, one farmer operating twenty-five binders and employing a hundred harvest laborers, was beyond the wildest dreams of the old time agriculturist. Yet this is common enough in the wheat growing districts today.

David W. Blaine, a farmer of Pratt county, Kan., has arranged a plan to



A VIEW OF YELLOW WHEAT.

or third day. Even if not struck, running about through the rough stubble carrying heavy bundles tells on them seriously. The work of the harvest lands is well worth the price paid.

It all depends, however, upon the previous field experience, and this is why so many Kansas farm girls can do more work with a binder than a strong, healthy man from the city.

Two types of machines are ordinarily used in the harvesting of wheat, the binder and the header. The binder is usually drawn by three or four horses. It cuts the straw close to the ground, ties it with twine and casts it on the ground ready for the thrasher.

The header is pushed by four horses at the extreme rear of the machine. The straw is cut by a knife close to the head, and the head of grain is thrown from the knives into the header box. When the box is full, it is carried to the dumping place to await the thrasher.

But it is on the Pacific slope that mechanical developments in wheat production have reached their greatest height.

On the Pacific coast standing grain is so dry by 9 o'clock in harvest time that it can be "headed" or reaped, thrashed, cleaned and sacked all in one machine, which is drawn over the field by a small herd of horses or even engine harnessed to a steam traction engine powerful enough to haul a train of freight cars.

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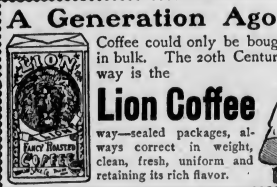
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## MYSTERIOUS KILLING.

Near Lafayette, in Christian County, On Sunday Night.

While Frank and John White, two prominent young planters, were driving home from Hargis late Sunday night, the former was shot and killed. John White, who had been drinking, claimed his brother was fired on from ambush. He made an effort to kill John Knight a boy who he had accused of the crime. Knight established an alibi.

The verdict of the inquest was that Frank was shot by a party unknown. The dead man's coat was burned by powder. The ball entered the left side, ranging upward through the heart. It is generally believed John White accidentally killed his brother.

## Charles Cox Becomes Insane.

Chas. Cox, who claims Cadiz, Ky., as his home, secured employment from the St. Bernard Mining Company of this place and went to work in No. 11 mine where he worked four days. Last Saturday his co-laborers noticed his actions were peculiar but he did not become violent until Sunday morning.

Deputy Marshal Smith arrested Cox Monday and took him to Madisonville where he was confined until his trial took place Tuesday. He was declared insane by the court and carried to Hopkinsville on the four o'clock train Tuesday evening.

His father was present at the trial and said he had noticed for some time that his son was slightly but no idea he was losing his mind. He wanted to take the boy home but the court would not allow it, telling him his son would be better cared for at Hopkinsville and stood a better chance for recovery.

## ST. CHARLES ITEMS.

Rev. Moore begins a protracted meeting at the Methodist church this week assisted by Rev. Critser.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Harland and daughter, Nora, have returned home from a few days visit to relatives in Indiana.

Rev. Mitchell filled his appointment here Sunday and Sunday night.

The Methodist church here is getting some needed repairing done, which shows up well.

L. Flake is able to be at his post of duty again.

Mumps are dying out. Only a few cases here now.

Dan Unstead, of Earlington, was over Saturday on business.

Mr. Crutcheff is no better. After several days of severe suffering the infant of Mr. Cobb died last Thursday and was buried Friday.

## Suburb Kentucky.

Miss Thelma Springfield left Sunday to visit friends in Morganfield. She was accompanied by her brother to Henderson.

Mrs. Lily Ramsey, of the country, spent Monday in town with friends.

Miss Ennah Ramsey returned Friday from Dawson.

Rosa Bailey, daughter of Mrs. John Bailey, died Saturday of typhoid fever.

Miss Queen Buchanan is spending a few days in the country.

Mrs. Lizzie McLeod returned to her home in Mississippi Monday, after a visit to her friend here Miss Mattie Vaughan.

## The Sick.

Moscow Croft is about the same. David Adams is still improving.

Ray Herb has typhoid fever.

Mrs. Julius Coenen is about well again.

Mrs. Chatten, who was operated on for appendicitis in Chicago last week, is getting along nicely.

Dr. E. A. Chatten is rapidly recovering from his recent sickness and will soon be well again.

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## PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Maggie Stodghill was in Madisonville last week.

Miss Nanie Summers visited in St. Charles country last week.

Miss May Peyton and brother are the guests of Miss Annie Knox, of near Richland.

J. M. Vestory, who has been in bad health for some time, has gone to Hot Springs for a month's trial of the baths at that place. We trust he may be greatly benefited.

Town marshal, B. Lindle and assistant Rufe Clark, are in Dawson this week for their health and possibly other things.

Mrs. W. G. Barter and sister are enjoying a two weeks visit to relatives in Mt. Vernon, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Long were in Madisonville Sunday.

Jno. Elliott went to the county seat Monday on business.

Quite a crowd of our young people spent Sunday on the road between Earlington and Dawson.

Ed Stodghill, of Morganfield, was guest of his father, Daniel Stodghill, first of the week.

Mrs. Thomas Glanville, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Earlington and Providence, has returned to her home in Nashville.

Miss Lezette Glanville, of Nashville, who has been visiting Miss Ada Shaver, returned home Tuesday afternoon.

## EDITORS OUT ON ANNUAL TRIP.

TO BE THE LARGEST GATHERING IN THE HISTORY OF THE ASSOCIATION.

Press Trip Began Wednesday—Banquets, Receptions and Other Things On the Side.

T. G. WATKINS IS TO BE PRESIDENT.

(The Courier-Journal says.)

Fifty knights of the pen and their ladies left Louisville Tuesday in the special coaches provided by the courtesy of the officials of the Louisville, Henderson and St. Louis road, and four hours later joined their brethren of the press in making the Owensboro convention of the Kentucky Press Association the best in the history of the association.

Owensboro has done its part, and the reception arranged for "ye editors" taxed their unlimited powers of enjoyment. An address by Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge, of the Lexington Herald; a banquet, reception, drives and an occasional business session are some of the many means designated for the inauguration of scribes' junket which is to follow the gathering at Owensboro.

The trip mapped out this year, though not covering as wide a range of territory as some that have gone before, promises much in the way of pleasure. The convention ended Wednesday night, the delegates, sweethearts and wives took the special Pullmans provided by the Louisville, Henderson and St. Louis and Nashville railroads and left for about a week's outing.

Before the editors set out on their journey they will choose their officers for the coming year, and in so doing will confer the highest honor in the gift of the association upon Mr. Thomas G. Watkins, the financial editor of the "Courier-Journal." Mr. Watkins' election to the presidency will leave vacant the office of vice president, which he now holds, and Mr. Paul M. Moore, of the Earlington Bee, is slated to succeed him. From force of habit, the editors will re-elect Bob Morningstar secretary.

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THURSDAY, JULY 24, 1902.

It is now in order to turn a search light on the Asylum at Hopkinsville and then the hose.

From the cutting and sarcastic remarks the Fairview Review contained in its editorial column last week we are inclined to think the editor's digestion is impaired. Take some Anti-malarial pills brother and talk sweet about the big buzz who wear brass collars.

The last issue of the Elkon Progress says:

"There is another scandal on at the Western Kentucky Asylum and the result will speak for itself."

That is a howling truth Bro. Gaines, but it will be some little time yet before it can speak we presume.

The White Ribboner who edits the temperance column in the Bee draws the wrong conclusion from our little spontaneous effusion in the last issue of this paper. When we used the pronoun "We," we referred to the people in general, and not to ourselves in particular. We drink nothing stronger than tea and consequently we are teetotalers.

The world is moving forward with giant strides. Men grow smaller in stature and larger of brain. Enterprises that are today looked on as commonplace would have astonished the world fifty years ago. Some of the achievements of man in the last few years are, Wireless telegraphy and telephony, the automobile, the X-ray, Air ship and various advances in surgery too numerous to mention.

That girl who gives way to an insane desire to gad the streets from daylight until dark and make acquaintance of young men and otherwise act the simpleton, is laying the foundation for a useless after life. It is dollars to doughnuts that after she marries if ever, she will develop into the worst kind of a gossip if no other misfortune befalls her. It is the girl of good sound sense who stays at home and helps her mother that wins the model husband and becomes an ornament to a good and wifehood.

It would like to ask why any one should write "Mrs. Dr. Sidebottom" or "Mrs. Dr. Hopper" any more than one should write "Mrs. Editor Jones" or "Mrs. Trainmaster Sheridan." Mrs. Sidebottom and Mrs. Hopper are not physicians, neither are Mesdames Jones or Sheridan editors or trainmasters—so we think it would be proper to use the husband's initials or say Dr. So and So and wife. If, however, such appellations are in order allow us to say, "Mrs. Traveling Salesman Martin, of Guthrie, passed through the city Tuesday on her way to St. Louis."

Work and labor are both cheap, and you can up your premises while you shine. The time of the show is now at hand when malaria and other forms of disease are contracted from decayed vegetation and other filth. Clean up.

## ANOTHER INVASION.

Americans to Build Big Trolley System in Great Britain.

Not content with gobbling up Great Britain's merchant marine and even putting John Bull out of the beer business, both of which feats have caused uneasiness to our citizens across the sea, American capitalists are again invading the tight little island, this time with the purpose of controlling transportation by land.

The Philadelphia street railway magnates P. A. B. Widener, W. L. Ekins and Thomas Dolan, who already con-



P. A. B. WIDENER.

trol the most profitable street railway business in this country, including the lines in Philadelphia, New York, Washington and Pittsburgh, have reached across the Atlantic to secure a heretofore vacant field. They are about to begin the construction of a huge system between Liverpool and Manchester, England. The sum to be expended is said to be \$20,000,000.

Thomas A. Nevins of New Jersey, who is also interested, has gone to England to superintend the construction of the vast enterprise, this latest "American invasion," as the British press term it.

According to Mr. Nevins, the new line will be 147 miles long. The territory covered has a population of 2,500,000 and embraces some of the wealthiest parts of England's great manufacturing district. The name of the corporation is the South Lancashire Electric Traction and Power company, limited.

This group of American capitalists already owns and operates the Cheltenham trolley lines, which are exceedingly profitable. Mr. Nevins says the English do not comprehend the tremendous possibilities in electric railways. Concessions were not difficult to secure, and the trolley promoters will have smooth sailing. Liverpool owns its surface railways, and Manchester is building lines. The territory between is unoccupied.

P. A. B. Widener, with another Philadelphia, Clement A. Griscom, was decorated the other day by Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany with the Order of the Red Eagle.

**SURPRISED HER FRIENDS.**  
A Rear Admiral's Daughter Who Married a Quaker.

Mrs. Edythe Skerrett, daughter of the late Rear Admiral Skerrett and formerly a belle at the national capital, has surprised Washington society by quietly wedding Mr. David B. Williams, until recently a crack baseball player of the University of Virginia.



MRS. EDYTHE SKERRETT.

Mrs. Skerrett has a habit of surprising her friends apparently. She surprised them in December, 1897, when it was announced that she was going on the stage. She made her debut under the management of Mr. Charles Frohman in a small role in "Diana She Loved Him Best" at the Garden Theatre, New York, the following season. Mrs. Skerrett made a good impression and had been assigned to a more important role in the same place when she had an attack of nervous prostration and had to leave the stage temporarily to recuperate.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams will live in Memphis, where the young husband has business interests.

## LADY CURZON COMING.

Wife of the Duke of India to Visit the East.

Lady Curzon, wife of the viceroy of India, will be a notable addition to the celebrities at Bar Harbor next month. The vicereine of Great Britain's Indian empire will remain several weeks at the Maine resort, where her mother, Mrs. Levi Letter, has taken Mossley Hall for the season.

Lady Curzon, it is understood, is much run down by the trying and debilitating climate of India and hopes that the invigorating breezes of Bar Harbor will restore her sufficiently to



LADY CURZON.

enable her to rejoin her husband at Calcutta with health enough to admit of her remaining with him in India during the balance of his term as viceroy.

It will be Lady Curzon's first visit to the United States since her marriage, and Mrs. Letter is making elaborate preparations to entertain her during her sojourn at Bar Harbor. Lord Curzon will not accompany his wife, as he is deterred by statute from leaving India so long as he continues to hold his office as viceroy.

Lady Curzon was formerly Miss Mary Letter of Chicago. Her father, Levi Letter, made a vast fortune in the dry goods trade in company with Marshall Field and Potter Palmer and later increased it by judicious investments in Chicago real estate.

Miss Mary Victoria Letter was married to George Curzon in Washington in 1895. She was then in her twenty-eighth year. In 1898 Lord Curzon was appointed viceroy of India, which is the greatest gift the British government has bestowed.

As vice queen of 800,000,000 of people the American girl became at once in power in the most exclusive society of the world. The courts of Calcutta and Simla are far more magnificent than St. James or any other in Europe. The viceroy of India ranks as a ruler, and his sway extends from the shores of Arabia to the borders of western China.

**WILL WED A SOLDIER.**  
Mrs. McKinley's Niece Retreated to Major Hartzel.

Miss Mary Barber, whose engagement to Major Ralph Hartzel of Denver was recently announced, is the favorite niece of Mrs. McKinley.

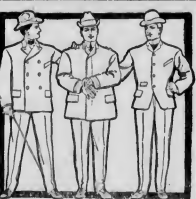
Miss Barber is the daughter of Mr. Marshall P. Barber, only sister of Mrs. McKinley, and lives in the old Saxon homestead at Canton, O. She is petite,



MISS MARY BARBER.

with slender, well formed figure. Her eyes and hair are dark brown. Miss Barber was married at the White House during McKinley's presidency. It was Miss Barber who christened the battleship Ohio at San Francisco on the occasion of McKinley's visit to the coast.

Major Hartzel is a lawyer. During the Spanish war he was appointed a paymaster in the volunteer army with the rank of major. His brother is secretary of state for Porto Rico.



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OTHERWISE UNNOTICED

The Philadelphia Public Ledger has been sold to Adolph W. Oehl for about \$2,250,000.

Gen. Mirulin has been proclaimed

Bruce Gentry and George Jones, farmers, near Brookville, Kas., have been arrested on the charge of stealing cattle.

Julia Temple, 50, both of Elsberry Mo., secured a license to marry in St. Louis.

Capt. A. L. Dabney, of Calhoun county, Miss., has captured an eight-foot rattler for his snake feast soon to be given.

James McNeil Whistler, the American painter, is lying seriously ill at The Hague. The court physician is attending his.

Ebenezer McNabb, a veteran architect and builder, aged 78 years, and Jacob M. Lehman, aged 67, died Monday at Decatur, Ill.

"Uncle Joe" Parry, Barton county's (Mo.) pioneer citizen, died in Lamar Monday, at the age of 80 years. He was born in Wales.

The International Press congress which opened at Berne, Switzerland

Monday, made Waiter Williams, of Missouri, one of its vice-presidents.

A board of army officers has completed allotments for building new posts for the accommodation of soldiers returning from the Philippines.

A mob at Blackwell, Okla., drove a negro family out of the town by setting fire to the house. The negroes fled to the house.

Judge Daniel Dillon, of St. Louis, and his associates in the Fleming will case received \$20,000 attorney

The will of Leopold Ritter, filed for probate at Clayton, Mo., stipulates that his three daughters shall receive \$1,000 each from his estate, pro

The relatives of Granville Wilson, an old bachelor who died at Huntsville, Mo., are trying to break his will because he left all his property to an old negro who had served him through sunshine and storm.

cult court, overruled the motion to quash the jury panel in the case of Harry Faulkner, a member of the house of delegates, charged with perjury in connection with the Suburban railway boodling case, and the

**Said the Police Prevented It.**  
Stockholm, Sweden, July 10.—It is now said that the police got wind of the proposed duel between Capt. Avid Wester, of the general staff of the Swedish army, and Willian Casper, an American, manager of the Grand Arena Palace, and prevented the meeting.

**Shot and Killed at Memphis.**  
Memphis, Tenn., July 21.—Charles Hackinger was shot and killed Sunday afternoon by W. T. Brooks, a well-known photographer. Hackinger came here several years ago from

**Exonerated Ills Slayer.**  
Lexington, Mo., July 19.—Joseph Callaway, a member of the Quantrell band during the civil war, is dead here from stab wounds inflicted by Doc Johnson in a quarrel on the ferryboat here on Tuesday. He exonerated Johnson.

**For the Fourth Term.**  
Houston, Tex., July 19.—The demo-

**THE MARKETS.**

New York, July 23.		
CATTLE—Native Steers ..	3 50	3 50
COTTON—Middling ..	10 00	9 80
FLOUR—Winter Wheat ..	3 60	4 00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red ..	78 1/2	80
CORN—No. 2 ..	60	70 1/2
OATS—No. 2 ..	20	62
PORK—Mess New ..	13 25	20 00

COTTON—Middling ...	...	9
BEEVES—Steers ...	4 10	3 75
Cows and Heifers ...	3 25	4 00
CALVES—(per 100 lbs)....	4 50	7 00
HOGS—Fair to Choice ...	7 25	8 00
SHEEP—Fair to Choice...	3 75	4 75
FLOUR—Patents ...	3 40	3 45
Other Grades ...	3 35	3 35

WHEAT—No. 3 Red (new) .....	70	¢	71
CORN—No. 2 .....	63	¢	63½
•ATS—No. 2 .....	48	¢	49
RYE—No. 3 .....	50	¢	56
WOOL—Tub-Washed .....	17	¢	24½
Other Grades.....	11	¢	16½
HAY—Clear Timothy .....	11 50	¢	15 50
BUTTER—Choice Dairy ...	17	¢	18½

BACON—Half Rib .....	12 1/2	12 1/2
EGGS—Fresh .....	13 1/2	15
PORK—Shoulder (new) .....	17 1/2	18 1/2
LARD—Choice Steam .....	10	10 1/2
CHICAGO.		
CATTLE—Native Steers ..	7 75	8 75
HOGS—Fair to Choice .....	7 75	8 10
SHEEP—Fair to Choice .....	3 75	4 50
FLOUR—Winter Patents .....	3 65	3 75

	Spring Patents..	2 50	@	2 85
WHEAT—No. 3 Spring....		70	@	74
No. 2 Red .....		76 1/2	@	77 1/2
CORN—No. 2 Yellow .....		65 1/2	@	66
OATS—No. 2 .....		56	@	57
PORK—Moss .....		17 85	@	17 15
<b>KANSAS CITY.</b>				
CATTLE—Native Steers ..		5 85	@	8 25
" " Cholera .....		6 85	@	7 25

WHEAT-No. 3 Red	63	01	68
CORN-No. 2 Mixed	60	00	65
OATS-No. 2 White (new)	55	00	55
NEW ORLEANS.			
FLOUR-High Grades	3 50	00	3 85
CORN-No. 1	76	00	77
OATS-No. 2	55	00	56
HAY-Choice	17 50	00	19 00

PORK—Standard Mean	19 50	19 75
BACON—Short Rib Sides	11 1/2	11 1/2
COTTON—Middling	10	9 1/2
LOUISVILLE.		
WHEAT—No. 3 Red	74	75
CORN—No. 3	87	88
OATS—No. 1	53	55
BACON—Short Ribs	12 1/2	12 1/2

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IN THE INTEREST  
OF THE

## ..Woman's Christian Temperance Union..

Edited by a White Ribboner.

The melancholy days have come,  
The hottest of the year,  
When we hie to the county seat  
And guzzle lager beer.

—The Bee Poet.  
And we help to fill the saloon man's  
till,  
When we guzzle lager beer;  
And we add to the curse of the  
county seat.  
When we guzzle lager beer.  
—Cold Water Editor.

Dr. Legrain, an eminent French  
physician, defines a total abstainer  
as "a human being that refuses  
to poison himself."

One of the commonest of the  
stock arguments against prohibi-  
tion cannot be enforced. It  
should be inferred from this that  
it is one of the easiest things in  
the world to enforce a license  
law, but, unfortunately, the facts  
do not sustain such a conclusion.  
A license town in which the law  
is strictly enforced it so rare as  
to prove an exception.

A fight is on just now in Texas  
between the Prohibition and li-  
cense factions, and the old thread-  
bare argument against prohibi-  
tion is being urged with all the  
force possible.

The ease with which the law is  
enforced in El Paso, Texas, is  
quite overlooked. There is prob-  
ably not a city in the whole Uni-  
ted States, where the law is more  
openly violated.

Although having a population  
of less than 25,000, it has 96 li-  
censed saloons. Just two blocks  
from the courthouse and one  
block from police headquarters  
lies the worst section of the city.  
Gambling is carried on in open  
violation of the state law with-  
out the least disturbance from  
the officers, except to collect the  
fines on the first day of each  
month.

The grand jury in a recent re-  
cent report said: "While we  
have no war to make on legiti-  
mate, orderly, well conducted  
saloons, we cannot close our eyes  
to the fact that many of them  
are but dens of vice, pitfalls for  
the unwary, where youths rang-  
ing in age from 12 to 18 years  
are not only allowed, but are en-  
couraged and taught to gamble  
and drink. Such places deserve  
the severest censure."

"It is the opinion of this grand  
jury that the greatest evil exist-  
ing in the city today is the dance  
hall, and we find they are all in  
open violation of the law, by  
having liquor sold on the prem-  
ises. At such places young boys  
are allowed to congregate, and  
we are of the opinion that more  
crime and vice are attributable  
to them than to all other places  
of resort in the city."

"We are reliably informed that  
eleven young girls, residents of  
this city, have their applications  
on the waiting lists to become  
inmates and employees of these  
dance halls."

"It is our opinion that no  
amount of revenue derived by  
the city from such sources can  
compensate for the harm done  
to the youth of this place; they  
are vicious, demoralizing breed-  
ers of vice, and are tolerated  
only in places where crime is at  
a premium."

"We believe that the whole  
system of collecting fines by the  
city, from violations of our state  
laws, is wrong, and ought to be  
abolished. It is practically a li-  
cense of crime. It is the opinion  
of this grand jury that with the  
closing of the dance halls and  
gambling places, the cost of  
maintaining the police depart-  
ment will be reduced 60 percent;  
the cost of maintaining the courts  
will be reduced enough to more  
than make up for the loss in fines  
now collected by the city, which  
is in the attitude of being in

partnership with the violators of  
the law.

"It is well known to this grand  
jury that prostitution is not con-  
fined to the reservation set aside  
for it, but has spread to other  
prominent streets in the south-  
ern part of the city. This is in a  
measure due to the fines collect-  
ed, or in other words, there is a  
premium of \$10 per month to get  
off the reservation, so called."

"In conclusion of matters per-  
taining to law violations, we  
would state that the giving of  
the liquor dealers' bond for  
\$5,000, that an orderly house  
will be conducted and no gam-  
bling, no music, no minors, etc.,  
will be allowed, is a farce in the  
extreme; such bonds are violat-  
ed every day, and we would re-  
commend that suit should be  
brought to recover on them."

As a result of this report the  
mayor issued an order requiring  
the separation of gambling joints  
and saloons, though permission  
was given for both to remain in  
the same building. All gambling  
was to stop at 2 a. m., and the  
front doors of saloons were to be  
closed from 6 a. m. Sunday to 6  
p. m. Monday.

This regulation not proving  
satisfactory, the mayor amended  
his proclamation by requiring  
that the saloons should close at  
12 o'clock on Saturday night and  
remain closed until 12 o'clock  
Sunday night.

In a few weeks an agent of a  
brewery took a petition around  
and secured 90 names asking the  
mayor to issue a third proclama-  
tion, which he did, but this time  
only saying that the saloons must  
close from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. on  
Sunday. Such is the condition  
of affairs at the present time.  
Although there is some indigna-  
tion at the mayor's action, law-  
lessness is supreme and the sal-  
oon and its allied evils have free  
reign. One could hardly expect  
a non-enforced prohibition law  
to make a worse show than this.

Look on this picture, then on  
that.

We have seen in El Paso how  
far the evil influence of the li-  
censed saloon may extend, but  
we will now take another view of  
the license system.

If there is a place where the  
license law may be really said to  
be enforced, we believe that  
place is Fayette county, Pa. The  
license laws there prescribe that  
the bars shall be closed at 9  
o'clock at night, and it is claim-  
ed that this is actually done.

Another restriction is that

"holders of license shall not en-  
gage in politics," a rule that has  
frightened one or two dealers off  
from their ticket after they had  
been nominated.

Can anyone ask for anything  
in the form of a license better  
than this, and yet, what are the  
results? In spite of these and  
other equally stringent regula-  
tions, there has been a most ap-  
palling record of crime, violent  
deaths, accidents and misfor-  
tunes in the county.

In the year 1901, 39 retail li-  
quor dealers, four brewers and  
nine distillers were granted li-  
censes, for which the retail deal-  
ers paid \$7,500, the brewers \$4,  
250 and the distillers \$5,700,  
making a total of \$17,450.

Since January 1, 1901, there  
have been 18 murders in the  
county, sixteen of them being di-  
rectly the results of intoxicating  
liquors.

In 1901 there were 695 people

confined in the county jail, and  
at this time in 1902 there were  
385. Almost every one of these  
commitments was the result of  
drinking.

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penses incurred in boarding these  
criminals, the costs of prosecu-

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liver complaint and was very bilious. I  
was in a bad condition; every day I be-  
gan to fear that I should never be a  
well woman; that I should have to  
settle down into a chronic invalid, and  
live in the shadow of death. I had  
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mended to me. I took FOUR  
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cured my family both. I am very glad  
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tire cost to reach the enormous  
sum of \$107,080.70, showing an  
excess over the amount received  
from the licenses of \$90,230.70,  
although it is more than this, for  
the county does not retain all of  
the license fees, as a part goes to  
the state.

And yet we hear it urged over  
and over that licenses ought to  
be granted for the sake of the  
revenue they bring to the treas-  
ury, and we have taken for our  
example a county in which the  
best conditions of the license  
system prevail.

## OLD MAN'S SOLILOQUY.

BLUE G. BARD.

I was settin' here an' thinkin'

Of how things used to be

When I lived in the country.

Quiet like an' free.

There weren't no railway cars

Runnin' by the door;

There weren't no millionaires—

Most everyone was poor.

The men folks wore copperas pants,

Colored from the bark of trees.

Kinder bulgin in the hind part

And beggy at the knees.

What was cut with a cradle then

And threshed out with a flail,

The feller that give out seonest

We rid him on a rail.

There was no hifalutin' doins

In them good old days;

No sich thing as golfin'

An' the silly ping-pong craze.

I low folks would'er thought

It was the biggest sin av all

To git out on a Sunday

An' play a game of ball.

An' we didn't go to meetin'

To see what folks ad wear.

An' notice the hats they had on

Nor how they fixt their hair.

We went to hear the preacher

An he thought it wrong

If we didn't bow our heads

And live in every song.

Pears like now days folks

Is allus on the go.

An' not so good as they used to be

Some sixty years ago.

It may be cause I'm gittin' old,

An' allus lookin' at the past.

That I don't like this movin' age

Where everything is fast.

I can't keep up in the race—

Guess it's fer the best—

To let the young ones take the lead

While I sit here and rest.

## Is up Against It.

Some unregenerate son of his  
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75 pieces of nice 5c quality lawn for..... 3 cents  
58 pieces of nice 7 1/2c to 8 1/2c lawn for..... 5 cents  
We have selected 50 pieces 10c to 12 1/2c lawns, dimities and other wash goods and put on a table at 7 1/2 cents.

We have selected a quantity of fine wash goods formerly 15 to 17 1/2c and put on a table at 10c. All of our fine 25c and 30c colored dimity, Batiste, ginghams, muslins, pongees, etc., at 20c. One lot ladies' shirt waists, some white, some colored, all slightly soiled, worth 30c to \$1.00, choice for 25 cents.



150 pairs children's slippers from the Pritchett stock, about half price.  
100 pairs children's tan slippers from the Pritchett stock, worth \$1 to \$1.50. Marked down to 35c to 50c.

A Splendid Lot of Men's Straw Hats, New and Nice, Choice for 10c.

We will give 1-4 off on all Parasols.

50 dozen gentlemen's 50c ties

## For 29 Cents.

This embraces all the 50c ties in our house on July 1st. To make this the strongest and most attractive sale of ties that could be offered we have put in 30 dozen of the newest and swellest 50c ties that could be found in New York.

50 pieces Embroidery and Insertion. These are mill ends from 4 to 6 yards in a piece. Will not cut these lengths.

## For 10c a Yard.

We will give 20 per ct. off on all table linens and napkins.

All of our Ladies' 50c Leather Belts, including White Kid, Black Morocco, Patent Leather and Carved Tan.

## For 25 Cents.

Ladies' 40 gauge fast black, high spliced heel, double sole hose, cheap at 15c.

## For 8 Cents.

Misses' fine Drop Stitch Hose, run of mills, 25c quality, For 12 1/2 Cents.



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## MORTON'S GAP ITEMS.

We are very sorry indeed to put the sad news of the death of Mrs. H. B. Morton, which occurred Sunday morning, July 20, after a lingering illness, although none thought she was dangerously ill. She leaves two sisters, mother and father, husband and daughter to mourn their loss. She had confessed our Lord and Master several years ago and was ready to answer the summons, which all must obey. Her remains were taken to Salem cemetery Monday morning where an impressive and appropriate sermon was delivered by Rev. Price Gatlin of Madisonville, after which all that was mortal was laid to rest in mother earth to wait the resurrection morning. We trust our Heavenly Father may throw his comforting arm around them in their sad and trying hour and that they may put their trust in him and thus be prepared to meet her in the happy climes above, where there will be neither sickness nor sorrow nor death, but one day of endless glory.

Geo. Stokes and Lisle Robinson were in Madisonville Wednesday.

Mrs. Ben F. Robinson, Mrs. Grasty and Mrs. Crouch were in Madisonville and Earlington Tuesday.

Roy Davis of the country visited his daughter Mrs. Geo. M. Davis last week.

Several of the Earlington fax were in Morton's Thursday.

Boyd Gatlin and lady of Madisonville accompanied by a Miss Matthews, of Springfield, Tenn., visited the family of Dr. E. F. Almon last week.

Clara Harris, of Madisonville, was the guest of his sister Mrs. F. I. Croft Tuesday.

Of course Wm. Kimmons took in the ball at Dawson.

Joe, Adeock and James Dixon, who have been working at Luzzo, have quit and moved into our vicinity.

ity. Again things are not always what they seem.

Dick Rogers was in Earlington Saturday on business.

Mrs. Harlan Rich, and mother were in Madisonville shopping Thursday.

Geo Wynne mother of St. Charles was the guest of Mrs. Crit Smothers a few days since.

Mrs. Phillip and Edith Browning are spending this week at Crofton among friends and relatives.

Charles Jennings Jr., and Will Browder have joined the army.

Mrs. Charles Gregory and children, of Fulton, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Jno. S. Horsefield is at present visiting friends in Grayson county.

The children of Wm. Gatlin gave him a surprise dinner Tuesday at the residence of Davis Gatlin and they had quite a pleasant gathering.

Albert Hawes, of Evansville visited the family of Crit Smothers last week.

Wm. Brewington, who has been in Tennessee several months, returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Hattie Parkman, of Nashville is visiting Mrs. Lucy Grasty.

N. B. McCraw, who is traveling salesman for a Cincinnati house, is home on a visit.

S. L. Woodard, of Nortonville, was in town Friday on business.

Mrs. Boyd Sutherland was in Madisonville Friday.

Earl Harris returned to his home at Lamascos Saturday.

Mrs. M. Cain and son, Frank, have returned from Dawson.

Cleve Medlock is on the sick list. Quite a large delegation from Earlington attended the protracted meeting, that is in progress here, Friday night. Come again we are very glad to have you with us.

Mr. Bradley Croft and lady and Miss Isabella Williams, of Crofton,

visited the family of J. E. Williams Saturday and Sunday.

Dan Loran and Charles Johnson, of Oak Hill, were in Madisonville Saturday on business.

Rev. Mitchell, of Earlington, filled Bro. Willis' appointment Saturday night, as Bro. Willis went to Hopkinsville.

Boyd Gatlin and wife returned to their home in Madisonville Saturday after a visit as the guest of the family of Dr. E. L. Almon.

Mrs. D. M. Littlefield and children, of St. Louis are the guests of the family of W. W. Littlefield.

Miss Jessie Jagoe of Madisonville visited the family of S. A. Franklin last week.

Miss Eliza Curtis, of Earlington, is visiting the family of F. E. Vinson.

Melvin Vinson and lady of Earlington, was the guest of F. E. Vinson and family Sunday.

Mrs. Elvie Whitford and daughter who have been visiting in Luzerne for the past week, returned home Monday.

Tom Finley, of Madisonville, was in town Monday.

Miss Maude Finley and Miss Sybil Hart Confessed our Master at the meeting in progress here Saturday night and were baptized by Rev. Mitchell Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. We are proud of these noble confessions and trust they may walk worthy of the vocation where they are called and become shining lights and bear much fruit for the master in the church of the living God.

The above signature is the signature of every bottle of the genuine DWINE'S PINK MIXTURE—the baby's friend from birth until he has his teeth. All druggists.

Notice.

I will pay the highest market cash price for chickens, eggs and butter delivered at my home one-half mile south of Neha. J. W. JOHNSON.

## NEWS FOR Colored People

By Rev. J. H. GOSSET.

Rev. Gordon returned from Robards Tuesday, where he had gone to assist Rev. Galbreath in a rally. He reported a successful time.

Mrs. Ella Merrittwater left for Clarksville, Tenn., Saturday morning to visit her husband.

Mrs. Emma Young visited friends in Madisonville last week.

The Bee does something that not every white journal does—it gives its colored patrons one column of 1,000 words to report your doings, and if you fail to report it to the reporter don't blame anyone but yourself.

J. L. Phillips, of Madisonville, was in the city on business Monday.

Mrs. Minnie Clark, of Slaughterersville, was here last week visiting friends.

Misses Mabelle Hargrove and Viney Ballantain are on the sick list.

Prof. W. R. Harding and wife, of Owensboro, who have been visiting the family of Joe Hargraves, returned home Saturday.

Miss Emma Stockdale left Saturday for a two weeks' visit in Louisville.

One of our popular young men says he is trying his very best to persuade a certain university girl to give up school life.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wm. Killebrew departed this life Monday. The bereaved family have our deepest sympathy.

Dealing—win has left us. Let me, yes, for evermore.

But we hope to meet our loved one out that bright and happy shore.

Mediasine Ella Patterson and Ada

Mitchell were in Earlington last week.

Mr. Hargraves, of Hecla, died Sunday and was buried Monday.

Rev. H. Gordon conducted the funeral service.

Frank Tandy and Albert Dunlap were in Madisonville Sunday.

Misses Kate Noel and Jennie Ashby, of Madisonville, visited the family of Abe Osborn one day last week.

The Mystic Shrines of the Phoenix Temple held memorial services at the grave of A. C. Alexander Sunday.

Don't forget the rally at the Zion church the first Sunday in August. Come and help us.

The entertainment given by the Arnold Workers Saturday night in the parsonage yard was a success.

Rev. Long, of Madisonville, will preach at the C. M. E. church Sunday night.

Rev. Gordon will leave this week to attend the association at Henderson. Rev. Baily will fill his pulpit.

The clubs of the A. M. E. Zion church will give a joint picnic Saturday, August 2. Every person is invited.

More of our young men than you might think have bank accounts, while it is true we have some that waste all they make and more besides. Stop wasting your hard earnings and learn to economize. The clipping from the American in last week's Bee ought to be read by every colored person, for it is worth its weight in any kind of money.

Miss Hattie Asuborn and Rev. J. H. Gough left Wednesday morning to attend the district conference and Sunday school convention, which convenes at Gordonsville.

Morton Gap Colored News.

We are very glad to note that our public school opened Monday, July 21, with many bright little faces, and

everyone seemed very much delighted with their teacher, Mrs. C. S. Steele, who has done much good at this place. And we also had many fine lectures from our trustees and good parents, who are trying to do all the good they can for the school and children.

Miss Willie Sharber is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Louise Toms and Minnie Grace, who have been sick so long, is said to be improving.

Mrs. C. S. Steele and Miss L. E. Hamilton attended the institute at Madisonville last week and report a nice time.

Braxton Toran is all smiles. Why, it's a fine boy.

Little Lana Mitchell is very ill, but we hope she will be better in a few days.

Charles Beaumont, of Louisville, has come here to make this place his home.

Misses Lela Tounsell and Mary Nance and Saul and Thomas Davis visited friends at Barnesley last week.

Mrs. N. S. Brown is visiting relatives in Hopkinsville this week.

We wonder why H. B. says that the wedding bells sound so much like a funeral bell to him.

A grand entertainment will be given at the Odd Fellows Hall Saturday night for the benefit of the A. M. E. church by Rev. J. W. Word and Mrs. Florence Gray.

Mrs. Mary Patterson is visiting her husband at Sebree this week.

We wonder why Miss L. T. says the 'phone is too high. What's the matter, old girl?

Edgar Armstrong, of Crofton, is the pleasant guest of his sister, Mrs. Emma Watson.

Miss Suddie Thompson made a flying trip to Madisonville Sunday.

Foley's Honey and Tar for children, safe, sure. No opiates.